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SUBJECT: APRIL 18 EC FOREIGN MINISTERS DISCUSSION OF  
SPAIN, THE MIDDLE EAST AND OSIMO TREATY

1. CONCERNING SPAIN THE MINISTERS AGREED TO EXAMINE THE POSSIBILITY OF REFLECTING AT THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE MEETING APRIL 27 THE EC'S ENCOURAGEMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PROCESSES IN SPAIN AS REFLECTED IN THE DECISION TO HOLD ELECTIONS JUNE 15.

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2. THE MINISTERS TOOK NOTE OF AN UPDATED EXPERTS' ANALYSIS OF THE SITUATION IN THE MIDDLE EAST, AND INSTRUCTED THE WORKING GROUP TO KEEP THE AREA UNDER STUDY WITH THE VIEW OF A POSSIBLE STATEMENT OR INITIATIVE BY THE NINE CONCERNING THE MIDDLE EAST SOMETIME IN THE COURSE OF THIS YEAR.

3. THE MINISTERS EXPRESSED SATISFACTION AT THE CONCLUSION ON APRIL 3 OF RATIFICATION PROCEDURES FOR THE TREATY OF OSIMO BETWEEN ITALY AND YUGOSLAVIA.

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